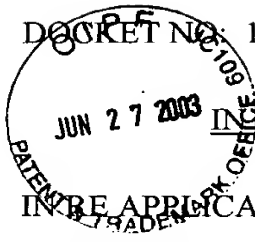


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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action mailed February 27, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 1, 9 and 18 as shown in clean form below:<sup>1</sup>

1. (Amended) A semiconductor laser device comprising
- a semiconductor multi-layer film formed by laminating optical confinement layers and active layers so as to dispose each of said active layers between said optical confinement layers;
- a high reflection film coated on a first end of the multi-layer film perpendicular to junction planes of the individual layers in said semiconductor multi-layer film; and

<sup>1</sup> A marked-up copy of the claims is attached hereto.

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